

# IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE MICHAEL GIESING ET AL.

APPLICATION

NO. OF:

SERIAL NO.: 10/525,019

GROUP ART UNIT: 1636

FILED: June 28, 2005

EXAMINER: Jennifer Ann Dunston

FOR: Method for Analyzing Body Fluids for  
the Presence of Cancer Cells, use  
Thereof, Corresponding Analysis Kits,  
and use of Specific Active Substances for  
Treating Cancer

ATTY. REFERENCE: GIES3002/REF/LES

## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

### THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicant requests that the time for taking action in this case be extended pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136 (a) for:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> One Month   | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Three Months |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Two Months  | <input type="checkbox"/> Four Months             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Five Months |  |

The fee set in 37 CFR 1.17 for the extension of time is \$ 555.00.

- ☐ Fee enclosed. Please charge any additional fee required for this extension of time to Deposit Account Number 02-0200. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.
- ☒ Charge fee to Deposit Account Number 02-0200.
- ☒ Applicant is a small entity entitled to pay reduced fees in this application.  
A verified small entity statement ☐ has been filed. ☐ is enclosed.

Also enclosed is a:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Request for Continued Examination              | <input type="checkbox"/> Notice of Appeal | <input type="checkbox"/> Appeal Brief |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Response to non-final Office Action |   |                                       |

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